

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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APPLICANT: Douglas James Critcher                    EXAMINER: Rodriguez-Garcia, Valerie  
SERIAL NO.: 10/593,133                            ART UNIT: 1626  
FILED: 11/30/2006                                    CONFIRMATION NO.: 7562  
FOR: N-(1-ARYLPYRAZOL-4L) SULFONAMIDES AND THEIR USE AS  
PARASITICIDES

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111 AND  
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir,

This letter is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 19, 2009 in connection with the above-identified application. A shortened statutory response to the Office Action was set to expire one (1) month from the mailing date of the Office Action, i.e., on April 19, 2009. Applicant has timely filed an election and has also provided an amended claim set drawn to the Group and Species (compound) as elected. Applicant believes that there are no fees associated with the filing of the present amendment. However, if any fees are required in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account number 16-1445 for any appropriate charges.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.